Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, The ability to read and communicate are the most basic, and thus the most vital, aspect of our educational experiences; and,

WHEREAS, Citizens of South Dakota are striving to make every feasible educational advantage available to children; and,

WHEREAS, Effective Basic Skills are essential to persons of all ages, interests and cultures; and,

WHEREAS, It is the privilege of every human being to use Basic Skills to enhance intellectual growth and personal fulfillment; and,

WHEREAS, Basic Skills have the potential to change lives and to provide greater opportunity:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the month of February, 1981, as

BASIC SKILLS MONTH

In South Dakota.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Fifth Day of December, In the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE